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SUBJECT: THE SECRETARY'S MESSAGE TO TRAN VAN LAM

PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY TO
FORMER FONMIN LAM:

QUOTE DEAR MINISTER LAM: ON YOUR DEPARTURE FROM THE
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS TO SEEK AGAIN HIGH ELECTIVE
OFFICE I WANT TO TELL YOU WHAT A PRIVILEGE IT HAS BEEN FOR
ME TO WORK WITH YOU IN FURTHERING OUR COMMON OBJECTIVE OF
ACHIEVING PEACE FOR SOUTH VIET-NAM. YOUR SERVICE AS
FOREIGN MINISTER THROUGH THESE PAST TURBULENT YEARS WAS THE
MORE ADMIRABLE FOR THE DIGNITY AND COURTESY WITH WHICH YOU
SO ABLY DISCHARGED YOUR HEAVY RESPONSIBILITIES. AS YOU
MOVE TOWARD OTHER ENDEAVORS IN YOUR COUNTRY'S SERVICE,
PLEASE ACCEPT THIS EXPRESSION OF MY HIGH REGARD AND BEST
WISHES. SINCERELY, WILLIAM P. ROGERS UNQUOTE. ROGERS

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